

Confirmation No. 3101

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appellant:	HAHN-CARLSON	Examiner:	Backer, F.
Serial No.:	09/527,717	Group Art Unit:	3621
Filed:	March 17, 2000	Docket No.:	USBA.004PA
Title:	VALIDATION APPROACH FOR AUDITING A VENDOR-BASED TRANSACTION		

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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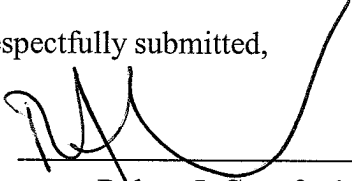
Presented for appeal are claims 13-27.

Attached herewith is a Petition for One-Month Extension of Time, wherein all requisite fees are authorized.

The undersigned is of record and with authority to prosecute the appeal on behalf of the Assignee.

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